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#### RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

#### Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts, mailed May 14, 2004, relative to the above-identified application. The Part 2 Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts is enclosed herewith.

The Notice indicated that the statutory basic filing fee was missing. In response,

Applicant herewith submits the statutory basic filing fee in the amount of \$770.00, the excess

claims fee in the amount of \$604.00, and the filing fee surcharge in the amount of \$130.00.

Applicant submits PTO Form 2038 in the amount of \$1,504.00 for the above-identified fees.

The Notice further indicated that a substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR

1.52, 1.121(b)(3), and 1.125 is required. Accordingly, Applicant herewith submits a substitute

specification and drawings (pages 1-35, figures 1-9), which are of sufficient clarity for OCR

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If any other charges or fees must be paid or credited in connection with this

communication, they may be paid out of our Deposit Account No. 50-2131.

Respectfully submitted,

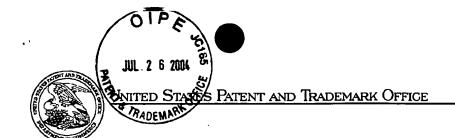
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### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

#### **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52, 1.121(b)(3), and 1.125, is required. The specification, claims, or abstract page(s) submitted is not acceptable and cannot be scanned or properly stored because:
  - Papers must be legibly written either by a typewriter or mechanical printer in permanent ink or its equivalent in portrait orientation on flexible, strong, smooth, nonshiny, durable, and white paper. Application papers must be presented in a form having sufficient clarity and contrast between the paper and the writing thereon to permit the direct reproduction of readily legible copies in any number by use of photographic, electrostatic, photo-offset, and microfilming processes and electronic reproduction by use of digital imaging and optical character recognition. Pages all are not in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52(a).

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

• Additional claim fees of \$578 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

#### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1478 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$578
  - \$288 for 16 total claims over 20.
  - \$290 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

Replies should be mailed to:

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A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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